

State of California  
Regional Water Quality Control Board  
San Diego Region

EXECUTIVE OFFICER SUMMARY REPORT  
May 12, 2004

ITEM: 10

SUBJECT: Cover sheet for 2<sup>nd</sup> mailing: NPDES PERMIT REVISION:  
WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR U.S. NAVAL  
BASE CORONADO SAN DIEGO COUNTY (TENTATIVE  
ADDENDUM NO. 1 TO ORDER NO. R9-2003-0008, NPDES  
PERMIT NO. CA0109185) (Paul J. Richter)

PURPOSE: To transmit a supporting document that was not included in first  
mailing.

PUBLIC NOTICE: N/A

DISCUSSION: None.

COMPLIANCE: N/A

LEGAL CONCERNS: None.

SUPPORTING  
DOCUMENTS: 6. Letter from US Navy dated November 13, 2003 requesting  
modification to permit.

RECOMMENDATION: Adopt tentative Addendum No. 1 to Order No. R9-2003-0008.

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Supporting Document 6

Mr. Paul Richter  
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Control Board San Diego Region  
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Dear Mr. Richter:

This letter is in regards to amending the Naval Base Coronado NPDES permit number CA0109185.

The Naval Amphibious Base in Coronado has mammal pens similar to those in the Naval Base Point Loma permit. These cleaning processes are less frequent than those used at Naval Base Point Loma, because there are fewer pens.

Once a week high pressure, heated, potable water is used to remove fecal matter from the deck areas, within the pens and the enclosure netting. The 3.2 gallons per minute heated water is 170 degrees Fahrenheit and done 2.5 hours per week for a total of 480 gallons per week. A garden hose is also used ½ hour per day to wash down the deck around the mammal pens for a total of 150 gallons per day. No chemicals are used and potable water from both processes discharges directly into the San Diego Bay.

Pollutants that may be found in the discharge include:

- (1) Contaminants in the potable water.
- (2) Fecal coliform from the mammal feces, and
- (3) Pollutants that could be picked up as the water passes through the high-pressure, heated water system.

Analytical results are similar to those listed in the Naval Base Point Loma NPDES permit Fact Sheet, section g. for Dolphin Pools.

If additional information is required, contact Mr. Lance Becker Environmental Program (Code N45JWW) telephone (619) 524-6413.

Sincerely,

*Robert A. Chichester*

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Director, Water Program  
By direction of the Commander

Enclosure: 1. Mammal Pen Locations at Naval Amphibious Base